

WLOS-TV13  
1st QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1998

CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT  
OF  
1990

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS AND  
BROADCAST TIME PERIODS  
FOR PROGRAMS SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED  
TO SERVE CHILDREN'S EDUCATIONAL AND  
INFORMATIONAL NEEDS

**CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT  
COMMERCIAL LOAD CERTIFICATION  
WLOS-TV13**

The following is a list of all WLOS-TV originated programs designed for children twelve years old and younger which were scheduled for broadcast during the 1st Quarter of 1998. All of these programs are formatted to allow for no more than 10.5 minutes of total commercial time per hour on weekends and no more than 12.0 minutes of total commercial time per hour on weekdays in accordance with the Children's Television Act of 1990.

**NONE**

This will certify that the above programs have run, as formatted for the 1st Quarter of 1998.



Betty Cothran  
Program Coordinator  
WLOS-TV13  
Date: 10 April 1998



Sarah Ferris  
Traffic Manager  
WLOS-TV13  
Date: 10 April 1998

## CERTIFICATION

FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF ALL ABC TELEVISION NETWORK PROGRAMS DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN TWELVE YEARS OLD AND YOUNGER WHICH ARE SCHEDULED FOR BROADCAST DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1998. THIS CERTIFIES THAT ALL OF THESE PROGRAMS ARE FORMATTED (IN THE ORDER AND AT THE TIMES INDICATED) TO ALLOW FOR NO MORE THAN 10.5 MINUTES OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL TIME PER CLOCK HOUR ON WEEKENDS AND 12 MINUTES OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL TIME PER CLOCK HOUR ON WEEKDAYS.

IF THE NETWORK RESCHEDULES CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS (FOR EXAMPLE, AS A RESULT OF LIVE SPORTS PROGRAMS), THE MODIFIED SCHEDULE WILL COMPLY WITH THE CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT COMMERCIAL LIMITS. SIMILARLY, IF THE NETWORK SCHEDULES A HALF-HOUR CHILDREN'S PROGRAM CONTAINING 5.5 COMMERCIAL MINUTES IN A CLOCK HOUR WITH A NON-CHILDREN'S PROGRAM, THE NUMBER OF NETWORK COMMERCIAL MINUTES IN THE CHILDREN'S PROGRAM WILL BE DECREASED TO COMPLY WITH THE COMMERCIAL LIMITS.

### Children's Programs

#### Weekend Programs

1. Program: Disney's 101 Dalmatians  
Duration: Half-hour (Saturdays, <sup>9:00 - 9:30</sup>~~8:00 - 8:30~~ AM NYT)  
Number of Network Commercial Minutes: 4:30  
Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: :30\*

2. Program: Disney's One Saturday Morning (featuring long-form educational elements -- "Brand Spanking New! Doug," "Disney's Recess" and Disney's Pepper Ann" -- and short-form educational elements) (Disney's Recess Pre-empted for ABC Indy 200 01/24/98)

Duration: Two hours (Saturdays, 9:30 - 11:30 AM NYT)

Number of Network Commercial Minutes: 19:00 (5:00 commercial minutes 9:30 - 10:00 AM; 4:30 commercial minutes 10:00 - 10:30 AM; 5:00 commercial minutes 10:30 - 11:00 AM; and 4:30 commercial minutes 11:00 - 11:30 AM)

Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: 2:00\*\* (:30 commercial minutes 9:30 - 10:00 AM; :30 commercial minutes 10:00 - 10:30 AM; :30 commercial minutes 10:30 - 11:00 AM; and :30 commercial minutes 11:00 - 11:30 AM)

3. Program: Disney's Jungle Cubs

Duration: Half-hour (Saturdays, 11:30 AM - 12:00 Noon NYT)

Number of Network Commercial Minutes: 5:00

Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: :30\*

4. Program: The New Adventures of Winnie The Pooh

Duration: Half-hour (Saturdays, 12:00 Noon - 12:30 PM NYT)

Number of Network Commercial Minutes: 5:00

Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: :30\*

5. Program: Science Court  
(Pre-empted for ABC Indy 200 01/24/98)

Duration: Half-hour (Saturdays, 12:30 - 1:00 PM NYT)

Number of Local Commercial Matter: 4:30

Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: :30\*

6. Program: ABC Kids Movie Matinee: "Peter And The Wolf" / "The Parsley Garden"

Duration: One and one-half hours (2:05 - 3:35 AM NYT)  
(One-time-only - Sunday, February 15, 1998)

Number of Network Commercial Minutes: 11:00 (3:30 commercial minutes 2:05-2:35 AM; 4:00 commercial minutes 2:35-3:05AM; and 3:30 commercial minutes 3:05-3:35 AM)

Opportunity for Local Commercial Matter: 4:30\*\*\*\* (1:30 commercial minutes 2:05-2:35 AM; 1:30 commercial minutes 2:35-3:05 AM; and 1:30 commercial minutes 3:05-3:35 AM)

Weekday Programs

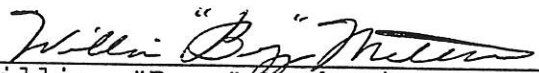
None

\* Format allows one :34 station break, of which :30 ONLY may be used for local commercial matter.

\*\* Format allows four :34 station breaks, of which :30 ONLY for each may be used for local commercial matter.

\*\*\* Format allows two :34 station breaks, of which :30 ONLY for each may be used for local commercial matter.

\*\*\*\* Format allows three 1:34 station breaks, of which 1:30 ONLY for each may be used for local commercial matter.

  
William "Buzz" Mathesius  
Vice President and Director  
Affiliate Operations

Date: March 17, 1998

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message Number:0039

APRIL 7, 1998

TO: STATION MANAGEMENT

RE: CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT OF 1990 - ABC-TV NETWORK  
COMMERCIAL INFORMATION - QUARTERLY CONFIRMATION -  
FIRST QUARTER 1998

ON MARCH 17, 1998, WE SENT YOU A CERTIFICATION THAT ALL ABC TELEVISION NETWORK PROGRAMS DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN 12 YEARS OLD AND YOUNGER SCHEDULED FOR BROADCAST DURING THE FIRST CALENDAR QUARTER OF 1998 WERE FORMATTED TO ALLOW FOR NO MORE THAN 10.5 MINUTES OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL TIME PER CLOCK HOUR ON WEEKENDS AND 12 MINUTES OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL TIME PER CLOCK HOUR ON WEEKDAYS, THE COMMERCIAL LIMITS SET FORTH IN THE CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT OF 1990.

WE INFORMED YOU AT THAT TIME THAT AT THE END OF THE FIRST CALENDAR QUARTER WE WOULD ALSO SEND YOU A CONFIRMATION THAT THE NUMBER OF MINUTES ALLOTTED FOR NETWORK AND LOCAL COMMERCIAL MATTER DID NOT EXCEED THOSE SET FORTH IN THE CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT. WE ALSO SAID WE WOULD INCLUDE IN THE CONFIRMATION COMMERCIAL INFORMATION ABOUT ANY ADDITIONAL CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS AIRED DURING THE FIRST QUARTER THAT WERE NOT INCLUDED IN THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATION. THIS LETTER WILL SERVE AS THE QUARTERLY CONFIRMATION FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1998.

THE ABC TELEVISION NETWORK HEREBY CONFIRMS THAT THE NUMBER OF MINUTES ALLOTTED FOR NETWORK COMMERCIAL MATTER AND THE FORMATTED OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOCAL MATTER IN NETWORK PROGRAMS DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN TWELVE YEARS OLD AND YOUNGER BROADCAST DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1998 DID NOT EXCEED THE LIMITS SET FORTH IN THE CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT OF 1990.

THERE WERE NO ADDITIONAL NETWORK PROGRAMS DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN TWELVE YEARS OLD AND YOUNGER BROADCAST DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1998.

THIS CONFIRMATION IS DESIGNED TO BE PLACED IN YOUR PUBLIC FILE ALONG WITH THE MARCH 17, 1998 CERTIFICATION. THIS SHOULD BE DONE NO LATER THAN APRIL 10, 1998 IN ORDER TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT.

REGARDS,  
BUZZ MATHESIOS  
VICE PRESIDENT  
AFFILIATE COMMUNICATIONS & OPERATIONS

04/07/98 16:06:02



**ABC Television Network**

April 6, 1998

**Buzz Mathesius**  
Vice President  
Affiliate Communications & Operations

To: Station Management

Re: Children's Television Act of 1990 -- ABC-TV Network Commercial Information -- Quarterly Confirmation -- First Quarter 1998

On March 17, 1998, we sent you a Certification that all ABC Television Network programs designed for children 12 years old and younger scheduled for broadcast during the first calendar quarter of 1998 were formatted to allow for no more than 10.5 minutes of total commercial time per clock hour on weekends and 12 minutes of total commercial time per clock hour on weekdays, the commercial limits set forth in the Children's Television Act of 1990.

We informed you at that time that at the end of the first calendar quarter we would also send you a Confirmation that the number of minutes allotted for network and local commercial matter did not exceed those set forth in the Children's Television Act. We also said we would include in the Confirmation commercial information about any additional children's programs aired during the first quarter that were not included in the original Certification. This letter will serve as the quarterly Confirmation for the first quarter of 1998.

The ABC Television Network hereby confirms that the number of minutes allotted for network commercial matter and the formatted opportunities for local matter in network programs designed for children twelve years old and younger broadcast during the first quarter of 1998 did not exceed the limits set forth in the Children's Television Act of 1990.

There were no additional network programs designed for children twelve years old and younger broadcast during the first quarter of 1998.

This Confirmation is designed to be placed in your public file along with the March 17, 1998 Certification. This should be done no later than April 10, 1998 in order to meet the requirements of the Children's Television Act.

Regards,

Buzz Mathesius

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